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## <u>IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE</u>

In re: Application of Bernecker, et al.

Application No. 09/701,196

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HAIR COMPRISING A SPECIAL ACTIVE INGREDIENT

COMBINATION, AND THE USE OF THIS ACTIVE INGREDIENT

COMBINATION

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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CRF 1.116 AND REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir.

In response to the Office Action of June 26, 2003 Applicants submit the following amendment. In view thereof, they respectfully request the favorable reconsideration of all claimspending in this application. Since this amendment is being submitted within the third month following the expiration of the three month shortened statutory period for responding to Office Actions, submitted herewith is an authorization to debit the assignee's Deposit Account the fee amount required for a three month extension.

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authorize a charge to Deposit Account No. 01-1250 in the amount of \$950.00 for the extension fee. Order No.03-0578. The Commissioner is authorized to debit any deficiency in the required fee or to credit any overpayment relating to the submission of this amendment to Deposit Account 01-1250.

Respectfully Submitted,

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